

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office of the Governor

Whereas, The state of South Dakota is the home of Susan Marie Kary, and we are richer because Susan lives among us; and,

Whereas, Birthdays commemorate the first day of our lives, and we celebrate the birthdays of those we love, as we recognize the joys and sorrows we have shared, the strength we have gained from the obstacles and hardships we have conquered, and the small daily pleasures life offers; and,

Whereas, Susan was born on October 9, 1926, in White River, South Dakota, to Chauncey and Delia Delany, and was raised in the Neville Township, attended high school in both Winner and White River, earned her teaching certificate at Black Hills Teachers College, and taught at several one-room schools; and,

Whereas, Susan married Alfred Kary in August of 1948, near Belvidere, South Dakota, and to this union they were blessed with 7 children, several foster children, 19 grandchildren, and 32 great-grandchildren; and,

Whereas, Susan resides in Parmelee, South Dakota, and remains very active in church, with the volunteer fire department, food pantry, new baseball field, and a sewing center; and,

Whereas, Susan will observe her 90th Birthday with all the good wishes, fanfare, and celebration such a milestone warrants, as her family and friends gather to honor her and celebrate her life and the camaraderie of the day; and it is fitting and proper for the Governor to make note of this milestone in the life of a woman who has lived an exemplary life for all to emulate:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim October 9, 2016, as

SUSAN KARY DAY

in South Dakota, and I join her family and friends in wishing her a happy birthday.



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the state of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-seventh Day of September in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Sixteen.

Dennis Daugaard
Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Shantel Krebs
Shantel Krebs, Secretary of State